Railway line between Talchu and Sambalpur

2116. SHRl GAYA CHAND BHU YAN: Will the Minister of TRANSPORT be pleased to state:

• (a) whether Government propose to allocate funds during th© current financial year for construction of the new broad-gauge line between Talchu and Samsalpur so that the project can be completed by the end of the Seventh Five Year Plan; and

(b) what is the reason of keeping the construction work in abeyance of second phase of- Railway line from Daitari to Keonjhargarh which i_s the life line to exploit the mining resources of Keonjhar District?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE DEPARTMENT OF RAILWAYS (SHRI MADHAVRAO SCINDIA): (a) For construction of rail line between Talcher and Samsalpur, outlay in 1986-87 is Rs. 2 crores. Its competion will depend on availabaility of resources in th© coming years.

(b) Work on rail line between Daitari and Keonjhargarh has not been taken up due to severe constraint of resources. Adequate exepected level of traffic has not yet been generated in Jakhapura-Dai-tari line opened to traffic since 1981.

Reconstruction of Srisailam Temples

2117. PROF. B. RAMACHANDRA RAO:: SHRT G. SWAMY NAIK:

WiH the Minister of HUMAN RE-SOURCE DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

(a) when was the Srisailam Temple dismaniled and shifted to prevent its being submerged by waters of Srisailam dam;

(b) whe_n $^{was\ ln}$e work on reconstruction of the temple commenced;

(c) what are the reasons for delay if any, in the reconstruction work;and

<d) by when the reconstruction work is likely to be completed?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION AND CULTURE (SHRIMATI KRISHNA SAHI): (a) to (d) Shri Mallikarjuna Swami temple, popularly known ag Srisailam Temple, is not going, to be submerged by the construction of th_e Srisailam dam. Hence tne question of dismantling and shifting it does not arise.

Miniature cold storages for drugs and vaccines

2118. PROF. B. RAMACHANDRA RAO :
SHRI G- SWAMY NAIK:
SHRI VITHALRAO MADHAVRAO JADHAV:
PROF. (MRS.) ASIMA CHATTERJEE:

Will the Minister of HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE be please to state:

(a) whether vital drugs, vaccines for fighting diseases in villages and remote areas are supplied and preserved in cold $boxe_s$ or mini-refrigerator;

. (b) whether it is a fact that polio-vaccines supplied to villages are not effective as there are no cold storage facilities in rural areas;

(c) whether Government are ' aware of the availability of miniature cold storage for such purposes; and

(d) if so, what steps are being taken to import or develop such units indigenously?

THE DEPUTY MINISTER IN THE DEPARTMENT OF FAMILY WELFARE (SHRI S. KRISHNA KUMAR): (a) to (d) For preservation of drug and vaccines including Polio supplied for rural areas •almost all the Primary Health Centres functioning upto the end of the 6th plan have been provided with a refri aerator under UNICHF asistance. In udJition, Ice-Iinol reingerators are being provied to Primary Health $Centre_s$ under .the Universal Immunization Programe. During 1985 86, 621 Ice-lined refrigerators were allot-ted to PHCs of 30 districts. 62 more